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Date: November 17, 2005

By: Rena lov

**PATENT** 

#### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: SHU ET AL.

APPLICATION No.: 10/604,380

FILED:

JULY 15, 2003

FOR: A NON-PLOWING METHOD FOR

**ESTABLISHING VEGETATION AND A** 

**NUTRIENT MATRIX THEREOF** 

EXAMINER: VICTOR D. BATSON

**ART UNIT: 3671** 

CONF. No: 1379

## <u>Transmittal of Amendment</u>

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

### 1. <u>Transmitted herewith are the following:</u>

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Petition for Three-Month Extension of Time

☐ Terminal Disclaimer

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Check in the amount of \$690.00.

#### 2. Entity Status:

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Small Entity Status (37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27) has been previously established.

#### 3. Conditional Petition for Extension of Time:

Applicants petition for an Extension of Time, <u>if necessary</u>, for timely of this transmittal and enclosures.

# 4. Fee Calculation and Payment:

For:	(Col. 1) No. Filed	(Col. 2) No. Extra	Small Entity			Other Than a Small Entity	
			Rate	Fee		Rate	Fee
Total Claims	11 – 20	0	x \$ 25 =	\$	or	x \$ 50 =	\$
Independent Claims	1 – 3	0	x \$100 =	\$	or	x \$200 =	\$
☐ Multiple Dependent Claim Presented			+ \$180 =	\$	or	+ \$360 =	\$
⊠ Extension of Time Fee				\$510.00			\$
☑ Information Disclosure Statement Fee				\$ 180.00			
*If the difference in Col. 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in Col. 2.		TOTAL	\$ 690.00	or	TOTAL	\$	

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$690.00 for the above fees.

### 5. <u>Provisional Fee Authorization:</u>

Please charge any underpayment in fees for timely filing of this transmittal and enclosures to Deposit Account No. 50-2586.

Date: November 17, 2005

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